

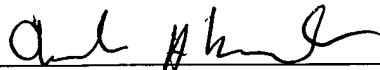
## REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendment to the claims and the remarks presented herein.

The claims in the application are claims 35 to 43 and claims 45 to 48, all other claims having been cancelled. Non-elected claims 1 to 34 have been cancelled but Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application directed thereto.

The Examiner has requested restriction between claims 1 to 34 and compound claims 35 to 43 and 45 to 48 and has requested an election of species. Applicants elect claims 35 to 43 and 45 to 48 and have cancelled claims 1 to 34 and claim 44 and respectfully elect with traverse the species of the compound of Example 1 since the compounds are not patentably distinct.

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